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Re: People v. William Manuel Delgado, Case No. 1506063

District Attorney Joyce E. Dudley announced today that Defendant William Manuel Delgado, 43 years old, was sentenced to 31 years to life in state prison. On January 22, 2018, Mr. Delgado pled guilty to one count of Penal Code section 187(a): Second Degree Murder. He also admitted a prior strike conviction, and admitted that he personally used a knife during the commission of the crime.

The Defendant stabbed his live-in girlfriend, Raneae Ronquillo, to death on January 7, 2017 inside their Lompoc home.

The Lompoc Police Department did an excellent job investigating the case to ensure that justice was found for the victim's family.

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